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TIP-TOP GARDENS

101 Liberty Terrace, Snyder, Erie County, New York
Half Mile Beyond City Line on Kensington Avenue

M. F. STUNTZ
AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY
1931

Display Garden at
666 Humboldt Parkway, Buffalo, N. Y.

JACOB STORER
AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY
1921

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Introductions of Jacob Storer

Numbers in parenthesis after color name refer to plates in "A Color Dictionary", by Paul & Maerz, published in 1930 by McGraw-Hill Book Co., New York. Reasonably priced and up-to-date.

Adirondack TB (Storer 1932)

Standards: Translucent white peppered with afterglow (42-B-5) and shading into a wide border of afterglow. Falls: Translucent white shading into a narrow fringe of royal purple (43-K-11). **Adirondack** is a large imposing flower on strong tall stems. Late blooming and strong grower. Fragrant. **\$10.00**

Albright TB (Storer 1931)

Standards: Orchid (41F5)

Falls: Hepatica (42K8)

Medium size, blooming mid-season, and one of the last to finish. **Albright** has such a glowing color and sends out such a prolific mass of bloom that it is like a shining beacon among the rest of irisdom. It more closely resembles an orchid in color than any we have seen.....**\$25.00**

Casenka: TB (Storer 1931)

Standards: Fireweed or Grapejuice (44L10)

Falls: Hortensia (47L12)

Casenka does not grow very tall, but the flower is very large, and its rich color makes it unusually attractive.**\$10.00**

Haifa: TB (Storer 1932)

Standards: Flesh (11A2)

Falls: Cosmos (50D6) fading out at edge into flesh color. The deep chrome yellow (9L7) beard of **Haifa** lights up this iris so brilliantly that we should like to have named it topaz. Foliage low and corrugated.**\$25.00**

James Storer: TB (Storer 1931)

Standards: Rhododendron (54J6)

Falls: Pansy purple (54L8)

James Storer seems to have everything we desire in a perfect iris. Tall strong stalks, well-spaced flowers of immense size and perfect form with a depth of color comparable to a heavy velour stage curtain. While most red irises are really bi-colors **James Storer** gives the impression of a self. Foliage is broad and tall.....\$50.00

Louis Willert: TB (Storer 1931)

Standards: Burnished Gold (12L7)

Falls: Raspberry (615) blending into a faint edging of burnished gold. **Louis Willert** is a sturdy plant, much and heavy foliage, good height, and large flowers. It elicits favorable comment when compared with the best of variegatas at iris shows. \$25.00

Melissa: TB-M (Storer 1932)

Standards: Burnished Gold (12L7) overlaid with purple. Falls: Chinese violet (4217) with a white center shading to lime (11L5) at base. **Melissa** has an elusive color combination that is very unusual. \$10.00

Niagara Falls: TB (Storer 1931)

A cream color self of such large size and heavy substance that suggests such a name as the world famous wonder Niagara Falls.....\$25.00

Tonawanda: TB (Storer 1932)

Standards: Old Lilac (45H6)

Falls: Imperial or cotinga purple (45L10)
Tonawanda is distinguished on account of the great size of its flower and rich deep color, resembling Cardinal.\$10.00

Winifred: TB (Storer 1932)

Standards: Falls: Wisteria self (41E8)

Small flower, but very beautiful and unique in that it has a texture like the dull sheen of rare china. Standards are very ruffled and falls are extremely incurved. Fragrant.\$10.00

NOTE: We suggest that you obtain Paul & Maerz color dictionary from your public library and you will get a clearer idea of colors than any elaborate descriptions we might attempt.

HISTORICAL

Rev. Jacob Storer's interest in Irises dates back to the early days when it was possible with little expense for most anyone to have a representative collection. Tho' retired from the ministry in the Reformed Church (which he served for twenty-five years) since 1908, his garden was always an engrossing hobby. At the earliest opportunity he became a member of the American Iris Society and is one of the few who have held continuous membership since 1921.

Altho' he has made many crosses, the seedlings chosen for registration and described in this folder, represent the best of many years selection.

We grow hundreds of standard varieties, adding a few of the better ones each year, and can confidently guarantee that these will not disappoint the most critical.

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